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SUBJECT: FIFTH PEN DETAINEE LIST ISSUED FOR RAWSON PRISON

REF: BUENOS AIRES 1447 AND PREVIOUS

1. THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR ANNOUNCED THE NAMES OF 237 PERSONS BEING HELD UNDER THE PODER EJECUTIVO NACIONAL (PEN) IN RAWSON PRISON (CHUBUT PROV.) ON MARCH 3RD. THE PUBLICATION OF THIS FIFTH PEN PRISONER LIST BRING THE TOTAL OF EXECUTIVE DETAINEES ANNOUNCED BY THE GOA TO 2668. THE MINISTRY OF INTERIOR HAS PUBLICLY STATED IN DECEMBER THAT THERE ARE 3607 PEN PRISONERS IN ARGENTINA. ANNOUNCEMENTS IN THE FOLLOWING WEEKS ARE EXPECTED TO NAME THE REMAINING 939 PEN PRISONERS.

2. A CHECK OF THE RAWSON LIST AGAINST THE 771 DISAPPEARANCE CASES REPORTED TO THE EMBASSY SHOWED NO APPEARANCE OF MISSING PERSONS.

3. AN INTERORGANIZATIONAL EFFORT LED BY THE PERMANENT ASSEMBLY OF HUMAN RIGHTS HAS ANALYZED THE VILLA DEVOTO, LA PLATA, AND CORONDA PEN LISTS. OF 1920 PRISONERS, 70 PRISONERS WERE

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TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED AS HAVING PREVIOUSLY BEEN "DISAPPEARED"--- APPROXIMATELY 4 PERCENT OF THE TOTAL. THE PERMANENT ASSEMBLY IS VERIFYING THAT THE PERSONS APPEARING ON THE PEN PRISONER

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LIST ARE IN FACT THE SAME PERSONS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED AS
DISAPPEARED AND NOT ANOTHER INDIVIDUAL WITH A SIMILAR NAME.

4. EMBASSY IS POUCHING TO DEPARTMENT COPIES OF PRISONERS
NAMED IN THE PEN PRISONER LISTS ISSUED TO DATE.
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